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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

7 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

8 Plaintiff,

9 v.

10 CLYDE MCKNIGHT, and PATRICK
11 TABLES,

12 Defendants.

CR18-16 TSZ

ORDER

13 THIS MATTER comes before the Court on the unopposed motion of the parties
14 for a continuance of the trial and the pretrial motions due date, docket no. 109. Having
15 considered the facts set forth in the motion, the speedy trial waivers executed by
16 defendants, the arguments of counsel at the hearing on September 11, 2018, and the
17 records and files herein, the Court enters the following order:

18 1. A failure to grant the continuance would deny defense counsel the
19 reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of
20 due diligence, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv). In addition, the
21 failure to grant a continuance in the proceeding would be likely to result in a miscarriage
22 of justice, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i).

2. The ends of justice will be served by ordering a continuance in this case, as a continuance is necessary to ensure adequate time for the defense to effectively prepare for trial. All of these factors outweigh the best interests of the public and defendants in a more speedy trial, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7).

For the foregoing reasons, the unopposed motion to continue trial, docket no. 109, is GRANTED. The trial date shall be continued from November 13, 2018, to January 28, 2019. Pretrial motions are to be filed no later than December 6, 2018.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the resulting period of delay from the date of this Order until the new trial date is hereby excluded for speedy trial purposes under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B). IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 11th day of September, 2018.

Thomas S Zeller

Thomas S. Zilly
United States District Judge